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In re Application of:

Docket No.: 684.2902

MASAAKI NAKABAYASHI, ET AL.

Application No.: 09/401,660

Examiner: A. Chang

Filed: September 23, 1999

Group Art Unit: 2872

For: DIFFRACTIVE OPTICAL ELEMENT  
AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURE  
OF THE SAME

Date: January 10, 2001

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Amendment and Petition for Extension of Time in the above-identified application.

☒ No additional fee is required.

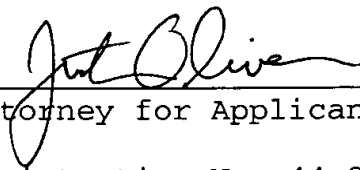
The fee has been calculated as shown below

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	34	MINUS	34	= 0	x \$9 \$18	0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	7	MINUS	7	= 0	x \$40 \$80	0.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$135°/\$270						
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT--						0.00

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- ☐ Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed.
- ☐ Charge \$\_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
- ☒ A check in the amount of \$890.00 over the fee for a 3 month extension is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.
- ☒ Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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PATENT APPLICATION

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REQUEST FOR APPROVAL TO AMEND THE DRAWINGS

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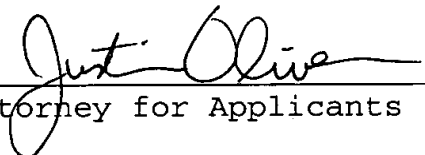
Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner approve the changes to Figures 1A-2I, as shown in red on the attached Figures.

These changes include labelling Figures 1A-2I as --PRIOR ART--, as requested in the Office Action dated July 10, 2000.

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